

COMMENT ON DRAFT POLYMET AIR QUALITY PERMIT

Instructions:

1. Fill out your name, city and zip code. Email is optional.
2. Use the front and back side of the comment form for your comment on the draft air quality permit.
3. If you would also like to comment on MPCA's draft 401 certification, draft water quality permit, or DNR's draft permit to mine, please complete the comment form that corresponds to each of those permits.
4. Turn comment form in at the comment box or mail it to:

Minnesota Pollution Control Agency
PolyMet air quality permit comment – 4th floor
520 Lafayette Road
St. Paul, MN 55155

Comments accepted through March 16, 2018. The legal public notice, including the draft air quality permit, is available online at www.pca.state.mn.us/public-notice.

The MPCA considers all comments it receives before finalizing the permit. In addition, all comments become part of the public record and are public data under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act.

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The model day did not take into account prevailing Northwest winds that will carry the particulate matter over Duluth and Lake Superior. More particulate in air in urban areas = more hospitalizations and more acid rain. Inversions of air in certain seasons will create awful air quality that could linger for days to weeks.